Public Hearing Notice of an Air Pollution Permit Application Review

Facility Description.

Unimin Corporation - Tunnel City Plant, South of Highway 21 between County M and the Rail Line, Greenfield, Monroe County, Wisconsin, FID 642078580, submitted to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) a permit application, including plans and specifications for construction and operation of additional equipment at their an industrial sand mine and sand processing plant.

Air Pollution Control Construction Permit No. 14-JGB-225, and Air Pollution Control Operation Permit No. 642078580-F03, a synthetic minor permit.

Application Review.

DNR has made a preliminary determination that the application meets state and federal air pollution control requirements and that the permit should be approved. You can review the permit application, the DNR's analysis and draft permit prepared by the DNR at the Department of Natural Resources Bureau of Air Management Headquarters, Seventh Floor, 101 South Webster Street, Madison, Wisconsin, 53703; West Central Region Air Program, LaCrosse Area Office, 3550 Mormon Coulee Road, Room 104, LaCrosse, WI 54601, tel. (608) 785-9975; and at the Tomah Public Library, 716 Superior Avenue, Tomah, WI 54660-4660; or contact Joe Brehm at (608) 267-7541 or by e-mail at joseph.brehm@wisconsin.gov. This information is also available for downloading from the Internet at http://dnr.wi.gov/air/permits/permitsearch.html.

The department has made the determination under ch. NR 150, Wis. Adm. Code, that this type of proposal normally does not have the potential to cause significant adverse environmental or secondary effects. This is a preliminary determination and does not constitute a final approval from the Air Management Program or any other DNR sections which may also require a review of the project.

The DNR published a public notice on April 13, 2015 at http://dnr.wi.gov/cias/am/amexternal/public_notices.aspx and in the Wisconsin State Journal. The permit applicant has requested the DNR to hold a public hearing on the proposed project.

Public Hearing.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to ss. 285.13(1), 285.61(7) and 285.62(5), Wis. Stats., DNR will hold a public hearing to receive public comments on the air pollution control permit application submitted by Unimin Corporation - Tunnel City Plant.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the public hearing will be held:

Thursday, May 14, 2015 at 2:00 pm Tomah City Hall, Council Chambers 819 Superior Avenue Tomah, Wisconsin 54660

All comments received by the DNR at the public hearing will be considered prior to making a final decision regarding the proposed project. After the public hearing, a final decision will be made on whether to issue or deny the air pollution control construction permit. If you would like a copy of the final determination, contact Joe Brehm of DNR, Bureau of Air Management, P.O. Box 7921, Madison, Wisconsin 53707, by telephone at (608) 267-7541, or by e-mail at joseph.brehm@wisconsin.gov.

Information on the public commenting and hearing process is available at http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/AirPermits/Process.html.

Reasonable accommodation, including the provision of informational material in an alternative format, will be provided for qualified individuals with disabilities upon request.

STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES For the Secretary

By /s/ Kristin Hart

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